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## THOUGHTS IN SEPARATION.

We never meet, yet we meet day by day  
Upon those hills of life, dim and immense;  
The good we love, and sleep—our innocence.  
Oh, hills of life, high hills! And higher than they

Our guardian spirits meet at prayer and play.  
Beyond pain, joy and hope and long suspense.  
Above the summits of our souls, far hence  
An angel meets an angel on the way.

Beyond all good I ever believed of thee,  
Or thou of me, these always love and live.  
And though I fail of thy ideal of me  
We have heard of cases

My angel-folk not short. They greet each other.  
Who knows? They may exchange the kiss we  
Thou to thy crucifix. I to my mother.

—Alice Meynell in New York Tribune.

## THE VILLAGE PRIDE.

Mrs. Silvester Dean Leven was polishing her brass knocker. Her long, thin hands rubbed and rubbed till the little white curls on her forehead danced like spirit children. Yet the labor had no perceptible effect. The metal shone like light, but so it did when she began to clean it. It had shone like that yesterday and the day before, and indeed every day for 60 years. There was a smooth circle all around the knocker where her delicate hands had worn into the hard, black wood of the door. Nevertheless the old lady rubbed away just as she had done every morning since the spring of 1838, when she was brought, a bride, into that house. She was the pride of Greenwich village then, and she meant to be still.

On this particular frosty morning Mrs. Leven tarried longer than usual at her task. After the lion's head was satisfactory even to her sharp eyes she worked on. But it was evident in the glances she shot across Bank street that her attention was not given wholly to the work of her hands. Neither was it diverted to her customary inspection of the neighbors' knockers. Theirs glistened like hers, and, besides, every time she looked up her eyes turned to but one door, that of the house in front of which stood two sturdy horses and a truck.

Pretty soon the door opened and a young man in a carter's blouse came out. He saw the old lady across the street, though he pretended not to. He busied himself ostentatiously about the horse's heads for a moment and then turned back to the truck. Mrs. Leven had seen him. She bent herself earnestly to the knocker and in a few strokes finished it off. The she faced toward the street and fixed the truckman with her eyes till he had to look up.

"Good morning, Aunt Martha," he said as he bowed his cap.

She beckoned to him to come to her. "Good morning, Percy," she answered pleasantly as he approached her, "I wish to speak with you."

The interview he had dreaded for weeks was upon him now. He knew from the first it was inevitable, but day after day he had put it off, omitting his usual calls on his aunt and avoiding her sight and summons. Now that she had caught him he was glad. As he followed the old lady into her prim, comfortable sitting room he made a pitiful figure of humility, but in the meekness of his soul there was the cheerfulness of finality.

"Sit down, Percy," she said in the sweetest voice he loved. "Heaven knows he took the chair she indicated and he seated herself in her old rocker."

"Percy, dear," she began, "is this true that I hear—you mean to marry this girl?"

"Yes, Aunt Martha. I was going to tell you, but knowing as you were ag'in it—knowing that you would not like to have me do so—I was afraid to come to you about it."

"Don't twirl your cap, my dear. Gentlemen don't do that, you know."

He stuck his cap between his knees. "I am sorry, Percy, you felt that way. It is my intention always to be kind and sympathetic. You should have been quite sure I would have heard your story through with understanding. Now tell me everything. She is the daughter, I am told, of a German in Hudson street."

"That's right, aunt. Her father has the biggest corner grocery over there, and he has made his pile—I mean has made money since he's been there."

"How long has he been here?"

"Going on 25 years. Oh, he's almost an old Ninth warder now. He's some in politics, and his family is right in it."

"Percy I never knew them."

"I know, but you wouldn't. It ain't my fault. I wanted to have them all over to mother's as you could be introduced to them."

The old lady looked as though she would answer this, but did not. She was silent a moment before she proceeded:

"So her father is a grocer?"

"Yes, like Mr. Jamison, who you like well enough."

"Mr. Jamison is a gentleman, my dear. The misfortune of his family can never alter that. The Jamisons are of the oldest Greenwich families on both sides. He is a grocer by necessity. This person of whom we are speaking is one by choice."

"Well, Aunt Martha, it's as good as being a truckman, and better."

Mrs. Leven winced.

"You might have been a judge like your father or a senator like your grandfather. I wanted you to enter political life."

"Politics is pretty low down these days," Percy remarked. "It ain't what it was. Besides, I tried to get an office from Mr. McMannan, but he said I wouldn't do in any office where the pay was as much as the trucking pays. And I guess that's about so."

The last sentence was cheerfully spoken. Mrs. Leven looked at her nephew's rosy cheeks and sighed.

"I do wish, Percy," she said gently, "that you could have found some one in Greenwich. That part of Hudson street where these people live is way beyond

the outskirts of the old village, out where the hog fields were till the immigrants began to settle around us."

"But what's the difference, Aunt Martha? It's all one now. There ain't no Greenwich any more; it's all just New York city. So what is the use of pretending?"

The impatience in the young man's tone amazed his aunt almost as much as the sentiment he uttered. Never before had he failed to show her respect.

On the contrary, the humbleness of his demeanor had been a grievance to her; it did not become one of her own blood to manifest the same awe before her that an ordinary Ninth warder did.

The old lady straightened in her chair, the lines about her mouth stiffened, and her eyes glistened like her knocker, as she answered:

"Percy, dear! You forget to whom you are speaking. You forget yourself, sir, and your good breeding is evidently suffering from the associations you permit yourself."

Percy was frightened. The last time he had been rebuked in this temper by his aunt was when he was a boy. He meant no offense.

"I beg your pardon, Aunt Martha," he murmured.

Mrs. Leven took her knitting from the table and worked busily at it till she was quite calm. She looked up after every few thrusts of her needle, indignantly at first, then coldly, and finally the habitual expression of kindness returned to her face.

"I think you are in a hurry to go to town, Percy, and I shall not detain you much longer. You may tell me something about this young—this girl. How old is she?"

"She is going on 19," Aunt Martha.

"Is she cultivated, educated? Come, Percy, tell me all about her."

"She went through the grammar school, I think, but she had to work after that. So she can't play the piano or sing, but she is a nice girl and can tend the house and cook, now that her mother's dead."

"That's right. She ought to be able to manage her husband's household. But tell me more about her. Is her voice soft, are her manners gentle, is she modest? Describe her to me, my dear. Is she pretty?"

Percy was encouraged by the few words of approval he had won, and whose mothers come here to pray and weep. As we looked a poor woman with a child by one hand added her little spray of chrysanthemums to the gay but pathetic heap. Soon familiar and world famous names began to claim our interest. Here lay Moliere and further on Alfred de Musset, the great poet, Chopin's last resting place marked by a beautiful figure. Lafontaine, with a little fox appropriately crowning his sepulcher—for who can mention him without thinking of the sly puss that got the crow's dinner—Balzac, the novelist; Cherubini, the composer, and many other famous painters, authors and musicians. Then the brave men who fought for France—Marshal Ney, Napoleon's right hand man, who lies in a little inclosed lot filled with shrubs and flowers, but with no monument, for when he died his enemies were in power and would allow none to be erected, and now its absence and the simple grave speak more eloquently than could the finest tomb.

Near by lies poor Villeneuve, who lost at Trafalgar and in consequence of Napoleon's displeasure received such a harsh repulse when he returned to Paris that he was a beggar through his broken heart. Just across the way from him is Permentier, the agriculturist. He was the man who with the utmost difficulty convinced the dainty French that the potato was worth cultivating and eating. They say that Marie Antoinette helped him to attain this end by wearing potato blossoms with her beautiful ball gowns. However true this may be, certain it is that the vegetable is planted every year around the good man's tomb.

There is one tomb which every one is sure to visit at Pere la Chaise, and this is the grave of Abelard and Heloise, the grave that has been the subject of so many songs and verses, and where lovers come to plight their vows and pledge their faithfulness. Very romantic it must be, so, on a moonlight evening, with the pale rays falling on the stone figures lying peacefully side by side, with folded hands, under the canopy of early Gothic style, with queer gargoyles at each corner. The story of the lovers is well known. They had many trials and tribulations, but at last they rest together, according to Heloise's last wish that she might be reunited to her idol. Through the tombs and trees we went higher and higher, until we came out upon a wide terrace and Paris burst upon our view. Paris, sparkling in the sunlight, spread before us in a glittering panorama, an immense expanse of white buildings with domes, towers, spires and bridges, and the Eiffel tower rising like a giant skeleton amid the feast of beautiful architecture. No wonder that the matrons of the commune appreciated the fine advantages of position afforded by Pere la Chaise. Here they entrenched themselves and transformed the quiet cemetery into a noisy camp. Here they met the fire from the government positions, until finally they were overpowered by troops which scaled the heights, and the terrible slaughter took place when thousands of the communists fell among the scorchers. Some poor wretches tried to hide in the tombs, and the merciless soldiers closed them up fast, so that to this day skeletons of their victims are found in their ghastly prisons.—Paris Cor. New York Observer.

In a Hurry.

Doctor—How is your brother, Miss Cynthia?

Aunt Cynthia—He's worse this morning, doctor—a lot worse.

Doctor—Did you give him that medicine as I directed—a teaspoonful every hour?

Aunt Cynthia—No, doctor. I just gave him the whole bottle at once. He wanted to hurry up and get well, so he went to the pantomime tonight.—Strand Magazine.

The Rhine Fortifications.

The early Romans found the swift current of the Rhine sufficient defense against the gigantic Germans, but to protect the peaceful settlers against all possible danger every ford on the upper Rhine and every convenient crossing place on the lower stream was fortified, and thus a chain of posts was extended from the sea to Strasburg.

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The French may not be a deeply religious nation, but they certainly do not lack personal affection and respect, and this is strikingly shown in their devotion to the memory of their dead. Ornamental wreaths made of beads or tin, black, white and colored, many of them with appropriate mottoes, were piled or hung upon the monuments.

Entering one of the main streets and walking up the hill, we were soon in a labyrinth of tombs. Inside of one little house, which had a glass door, there was a shelf built of marble, upon which stood a framed photograph of a man. On each side were vases filled with white lilies, and underneath was stretched a white ribbon, and letters in gold upon it told that this was an offering from his sorrowful schoolmates. Three columns rising from one pedestal and resembling some fragment of a Roman ruin stood to commemorate three brothers who had wished to be laid together.

Many monuments were like obelisks or in the Egyptian form, showing the influence upon the fashion of the time of Napoleon's eastern campaign. One large column with a broken shaft stood alone in an open space upon a raised platform and attracted our attention because of the great number of wreaths and flowers piled high upon it. This was a monument to those whose burial places were unknown, whose deaths were shrouded in mystery, and whose mourners come here to pray and weep.

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SONOMA, APRIL 10, 1897.

## THE HIGH SCHOOL AND THE WATER QUESTION.

At a meeting of the High School Trustees, held last Saturday, it was decided in case the water proposition carries to furnish the school with water from the new system. During the course of discussion Trustee Geo. O. Campbell very aptly remarked that a municipal ownership of water works was a public enterprise and ought to be encouraged.

## GOVERNOR BUDD AND THE COYOTES.

It is a most fortunate thing for the taxpayers of California that Governor Budd stepped in between them and the coyotes of the last Legislature by vetoing appropriations and bills that aggregated nearly \$2,350,000. Had he approved the reckless extravagance of the boodlers the State tax levy for the coming year would have been a staggerer. Fortunately for the people, however, he possessed the honesty of purpose and the backbone to come to their rescue. Of course Governor Budd in exercising his prerogative by pocketing these vicious claims and appropriation bills will incur the displeasure of corrupt politicians, no matter whether they be Democrats or Republicans, but he deserves and will receive the thanks of the taxpayers of the entire State for his loyalty to them.

## PUBLIC SPIRITED.

Mr. C. Aguilon, one of our largest property-owners, is a strong advocate for a municipal ownership of water works. He says he favors the proposition even though his taxes should be one hundred dollars more per year, as the town can never go ahead without a good water system. Mr. Aguilon, who owns one of the finest private artesian water systems in Sonoma, has evinced the proper spirit in this matter and proves himself to be an unselfish, public-spirited citizen. What this town needs is a few more people like Mr. Aguilon—people who will cast all self-interest aside and favor that which is good for the greater number. We trust that the example he has set in the matter of this water question will be emulated by other citizens of Sonoma who have their own private artesian well systems. We might here add that City Trustees Bulotti and Modini, who are strong advocates of the water proposition, also own their own water systems, and are in favor of the town going ahead.

A DISPATCH from Washington to the San Francisco Chronicle states that Congressman Barham asks the immediate appointment of Sterling A. Campbell as Collector of Customs at Eureka, T. A. Roseberry as Registrar of the Land Office at Susanville, and A. B. Lemmon as Postmaster at Santa Rosa for the reason that the present incumbents got their offices on the removal of Republicans without cause.

LOCAL Democrats are jubilant over the election held in Chicago and other Eastern cities last Tuesday. The Republicans were defeated all along the line. The elections, however, were mostly of a local nature, but for all that they prove that the Democratic party, notwithstanding the knock-out blow it received last Fall, is still in the ring.

It is now definitely known that the water proposition will be presented to the voters of Sonoma the latter part of next month. The delay is caused by the law governing municipalities, which very wisely compels City Trustees to go slow in matters of that kind, to the end that the proposition be set fairly and squarely before the people.

COL. FRED. GRANT has declined President McKinley's offer of the position of First Assistant Secretary of War. He has done just right. As the son of the greatest and bravest General of modern times and a man of ability it would be beneath his dignity to play second fiddle to Secretary of War Alger.

# COUNTY GLEANINGS.

Congressman Barham has written to E. W. Davis that a competitive examination for a cadet at the Naval Academy at Annapolis will be held in Santa Rosa at an early date not yet fixed.

F. V. Nelson has been appointed receiver over the property of Geo. P. Morrow and Frederick Hewlett during the continuance of their suit against Meinrad Kiser for alleged rent unpaid by him on the said property.

Louis W. Ridenhour, the proprietor of the Russian River Brick and Tile Works near Guerneville, died there Tuesday night. He was well known throughout the county and was an old settler in Russian River district. He had been ailing for the past year.

Early Monday morning last a woman who wore no hat or wrapper, says the Petaluma Courier, appeared on the D street bridge and after waving her arms frantically for a while leaped to the top of the bridge rail. A crowd of longshoremen on a neighboring wharf saw her, and thinking that she intended committing suicide, rushed to the rescue. The innocent cause of their alarm laughed at them. She was merely endeavoring to attract the attention of a young man who was fishing near by.

Nicholas Orth of Petaluma was taken to Los Angeles the 5th inst on a charge of grand larceny. Mrs. Magdalena Peckelhoff of Petaluma charges that Orth stole from her a \$300 note, a ring and a shotgun. Orth says he left Petaluma with Mrs. Peckelhoff, on her invitation, that after visiting San Francisco, San Diego, and after reaching Los Angeles her money gave out, and that she gave him the ring, note and gun to raise more on. He went to Petaluma, where he was arrested. The trial in Los Angeles was set for the 6th.

## COURT PROCEEDINGS.

### DEPARTMENT ONE—BURNETT, J. PROBATE.

Estate of Marcia Clark—Sale of real estate ordered; bond \$2,400.  
Estate of Matthew Peppe—Continued to April 19th.  
Estate of Joseph Segrist—Continued to April 19th.  
Estate of J. H. Benson—Final account settled; distribution.  
Estate of Alice M. Carpenter—S. E. Carpenter appointed administrator; bond \$10,000.  
Estate of Nettie K. Keegan—Letters of administration granted to Maggie A. Keegan; bond \$500.  
Estate of Alice Hopkins—Letters of administration granted to M. D. Hopkins.  
Estate of Robert Cunningham—Final account settled; distribution ordered.  
Estate and guardianship of Frank Loranger, minor—Continued to April 12th.  
Estate of Joel Ragan—Sale of personal property ordered.  
Estate of Coleman Talbot—Continued to April 19th.  
Estate of Melchor Marti—Continued.  
Estate of Mary J. Elmore—Final account settled; distribution.

### CRIMINAL.

People vs. J. Bennett—Defendant arraigned; plea set for April 12th.  
CIVIL.  
Mabel Deems vs. L. Holtz—Motion to dismiss.  
C. Bugada vs. P. Pedrini—Motion to tax costs continued to April 12th.  
Holtz vs. Deems—Motion to dismiss appeal denied; continued to April 12th to be set.  
DEPARTMENT TWO—DOUGHERTY, J.  
These civil cases were continued: North Pacific Coast Railroad vs. C. Berry et al. to April 12th; L. M. Hinkle vs. H. C. Hinkle, to April 19th; in re Pietro Cheda, insolvent, to April 12th; The Merritt Fruit Company vs. Grace Bros., to April 19th; F. K. Merritt vs. The Cloverdale C. M. M. A.; John Buehrer vs. G. Hunziker et al. to April 12th; A. Wehrspen vs. R. B. Miller, to April 12th; Nellie P. Moulton vs. A. A. McCutcheon et al. to April 12, for hearing facts.  
Santa Rosa Bank vs. C. F. Juliard—Submitted and taken under advisement.  
A writ of assistance was denied in the case of the Santa Rosa National Bank vs. W. J. Turner.  
The motion for a new trial was granted in the case of J. M. Patton, as assignee, vs. Martina Rector et al.  
An order was made appointing a receiver in the case of George P. Morrow et al. vs. M. Kiser.  
The cases of Lizzie Goodbrake vs. C. H. Goodbrake, and Maggie M. Perkins vs. John H. Perkins were submitted.  
C. E. Mathiesen vs. Taylor & Spottswood Co.—Plaintiff to have per stipulation, to May 1st to file first briefs, thereafter defendants to have ten and the plaintiff five days.

### CASTORIA.

Ladies' embroidered handkerchiefs at Duhring's.

A French cook says that when raw potatoes are to be cut into long strips to be fried in boiling fat, if the potatoes are cut a quarter of an inch in thickness and slantingwise they will cook better and be more puffy.

# Pure Blood

Blood means sound health. With pure, rich, healthy blood, the stomach and digestive organs will be vigorous, and there will be no dyspepsia. Rheumatism and Neuralgia will be unknown. Scrofula and Salt Rheum will disappear. With pure

# Hood's Sarsaparilla

Your nerves will be strong, and your sleep sound, sweet and refreshing. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes pure blood. That is why it cures so many diseases. That is why so many thousands take it to cure disease, retain good health and prevent sickness and suffering. Remember

# Hood's Pills

Is the One True Blood Purifier. \$1; six for \$5. Cure Liver Ills; easy to take, easy to operate. 25c

## LEGAL.

### Ordinance No. 51.

An Ordinance fixing water rates in the City of Sonoma for the twelve months beginning July 1st, 1897.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma does ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. The rates that shall be charged and collected by any person, association or corporation for water furnished to the City of Sonoma, or to the inhabitants thereof, from July 1st, 1897, to July 1st, 1898, shall be as follows:

For families of five persons, per month, \$1.50 to \$2.00.  
For each additional person, 25c.  
For saloons, 2.00 to 2.50.  
For stores, 2.00.  
For butcher shops, 2.00.  
For bakeries, 2.00.  
For laundries, 2.00.  
For livery and feed stables, 6.00 to 8.00.  
For blacksmith shops, 2.00.  
For hotels and boarding houses, 3.00 to 5.00.  
For wine cellars, 4.00 to 6.00.  
For each horse cow, 1.00.  
For flower gardens, 1.00.  
For water carts, or to fill tanks, for every 1000 gallons, 10c.  
For building purposes, every 1000 bricks laid, 25c.  
For plastering, 100 square yards, 80c.  
For cement, per barrel, 75c.  
For drilling purposes by Fire Company, when water is used each time, 2.50.  
For extinguishing fires, when engine is used each time, 20.00.

SECTION 2. For neglecting to turn off water or permitting water to run through hose, sprinkler or faucet, for each night may be charged and collected 2.50.

And the City Marshal is hereby required to report to this Board any violations of this Ordinance.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the first day of July, 1897, until the first day of July, 1898.

In Board of Trustees finally passed this 7th day of April, A. D., 1897.

ROBERT A. POPPE, City Clerk.

Approved this 7th day of April, 1897.

J. H. SEIPP, President Board of City Trustees.

### Notice to Creditors.

Estate of JOSEPH SIGRIST, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY the undersigned, Joseph Britschgi, administrator of the Estate of Joseph Sigrist, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Joseph Britschgi, administrator, at No. 307 B street, Santa Rosa, Sonoma county, the same being his place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the City of Santa Rosa, County of Sonoma, State of California.

JOSEPH BRITSCHGI, Administrator of the Estate of Joseph Sigrist, deceased.

Dated at Santa Rosa, April 1st, 1897.

W. F. WILLIAMSON, Attorney for Administrator, Mills Building, San Francisco.

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Haunted! The human temperament is often haunted—to the grievous discomfort of its possessor—by those malignant spirits, conspitation and biliousness. But the abominable pair may be speedily driven out with the potent help of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. This genial alternative, while it relieves the drastic purgative does, produces violent effects and weakens the intestines. On the contrary, the action of the Bitters is precisely analogous to an effort of nature seeking to resume her proper functions. This furnished pretty conclusive evidence that it is better to use persuasive means, so to speak, than to endeavor to coerce nature to a return to duty. Violent remedies produce only temporary effect, malarial and kidney complaints, rheumatism and nervousness, the Bitters takes highest rank among remedies of the philosophic school.

Mother—Dear me! the baby has swallowed that piece of worsted. Father—That's nothing as to the yarns she'll have to swallow if she lives to grow up.

STATE OF OHIO, City of Toledo, ss.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & CO., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 16th day of December, A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON

NOTARY PUBLIC.

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CASTORIA.

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CASTORIA.

For Infants and Children.

The signature of Castoria is on every wrapper.

Notice.

I hereby give notice that if any person is found mutilating or in any other way interfering with any team or harness belonging to me while standing upon the streets of Sonoma I will prosecute him to the full extent of the law. J. E. VEIRS.

Paper Hanger and Painter.

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# INDEX-TRIBUNE

SONOMA, APRIL 10, 1897.

CITY OFFICIAL PAPER.

## LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

### An Amateur Champion.

Frank Gilbert, who was born and raised in this place, but who is now residing in San Francisco, defeated Stewart Carter, the champion amateur welter weight boxer of the Pacific Coast, at Fresno last Saturday evening. The contest took place before the Fresno Athletic Club. Five rounds were fought and the decision was rendered in young Gilbert's favor, and he now steps into Carter's shoes as the best amateur welter weight boxer on the coast. Frank's many friends are urging him to give an exhibition in this place this spring and in all probability he will do so.

### A Singular Mishap.

Capt. Hauto of the schooner "Four Sisters" met with a singular mishap, one day this week, while playing between Embarcadero and San Francisco. The propeller of the "Four Sisters" became entangled in a Greek fishing net near the mouth of Sonoma creek and the craft was brought to a standstill. With considerable difficulty the net was removed and after a delay of several hours the schooner was enabled to proceed on her journey.

### Another Foreclosure.

Suit has been entered in the Superior Court by Geo. P. Morrow and Fred. Hewlett of San Francisco against Meinrad Kiser, the well-known Swiss dairyman, for foreclosure on a number of head of horses and cattle, on which the plaintiffs hold a chattel mortgage. Also, on growing crops on the Whitney estate ranch, which is under lease to Kiser.

### Deed Recorded.

Two separate deeds to the Sobre Vista ranch have been recorded in Santa Rosa by Rudolph Spreckles. The deeds are signed by Col. G. F. Hooper and Mrs. Hooper and embrace 400 and 811.16 acres respectively. The consideration given in the deeds is \$100 on the larger and \$5 on the smaller tract. It is understood that the price received by Col. Hooper was between \$45,000 and \$75,000.

### That Electric Railway.

N. W. Griswold, Vice-President of the much-talked-of electric railway between this place and Santa Rosa, reports great interest in the enterprise in and about the latter place. It strikes us that if this road is ever to be built that its promoters ought to be getting a "move on."

### Fire Near Lakeville.

The large brick hay barn on the Bihler ranch, near Lakeville, was burned last Wednesday and over 100 tons of hay went up in smoke, eighty tons of which belonged to Blair Hart. The origin of the fire is unknown. There was no insurance on the hay, which had been stored in the barn because it was considered fire proof.

### Plaza Fence Sold.

The Plaza fence was sold at auction last Saturday by City Marshal Robin and was purchased by F. Clewe, C. Aguilon and Geo. Breitenbach. The latter purchased 100 feet, F. Clewe 240 feet and C. Aguilon the balance. The amount realized was \$73.25.

### Fine Beef Cattle.

Henry Hartin, proprietor of the Central Market, received a carload of Nevada steers last Tuesday. They arrived direct from that State on the Southern Pacific railroad, and were driven from El Verano to his slaughter house in the western suburbs of town.

### Death of a Former Resident.

Otto Johnson, who for a number of years was employed in the basalt block quarries north of town, died in Santa Rosa on Thursday morning of last week of consumption. For the past two years he was the owner of the Sportsmen's Headquarters, a wayside inn near Melitta.

### Teachers' Salaries.

The District Attorney has rendered a decision relative to the payment of school teachers' salaries in which he holds that they are only payable monthly. Superintendent Davis says that the School Trustees should not draw warrants in favor of teachers until the end of the school month.

## City Trustees.

The City Trustees met in regular semi-monthly session last Thursday evening. President Seipp occupied the chair and Trustees Hartin, Bulotti and Modini were present.

The minutes of the previous meeting in regard to the official printing were corrected to read: "That the Sonoma INDEX-TRIBUNE be the official newspaper of Sonoma city and that all city printing be given that paper at legal rates."

The following bills were allowed and ordered paid:  
J. E. Robin, salary as marshal.....\$15.00  
Peter Keil, services.....1.00  
L. Mafer, hauling gravel.....12.00  
Wm. Green, lumber.....8.46  
L. Breitenbach, labor.....2.08  
A. Caminata, labor.....4.25  
Total.....\$39.71

The Street Committee reported progress on curbing Second-street East.

The Plaza Committee reported that the fence around the Plaza had been sold and City Marshal Robin was instructed to make a return of the sale.

The committee appointed to inquire into the alleged damages of E. P. Cutter and Mrs. N. R. Knight, claimed by reason of their horses falling through an insecure bridge, was granted further time in which to report.

Ordinance No. 51, entitled an "ordinance fixing water rates in the City of Sonoma for the twelve months beginning July 1, 1897," was read a second time and passed to print.

The petition of property-owners to open up First-street East between Spain and Turkey streets was read by the Clerk.

On motion of Trustee Bulotti, seconded by Trustee Modini, action was deferred until the next meeting.

The following resolution was introduced by Trustee Bulotti, and receiving a second from Trustee Hartin was carried: Resolved, That when this meeting of the Board of Trustees adjourns it be to meet in adjourned session on Thursday evening, April 15th, 1897, at 8 o'clock, p. m.

No further business appearing the Board stood adjourned in conformity with the above resolution.

## New County Government Act.

The County Government Act passed by the late Legislature and which is now in effect, makes some changes in salaries in counties of the sixth class, to which Sonoma belongs.

The County Clerk will now receive \$5,000 per annum, out of which shall be paid a chief deputy at a salary of \$1,200 and two court room deputies \$900 each.

Sheriff—\$6,200, out of which is to be paid an Under Sheriff \$1,500 and three deputies \$900 each. He will also receive a one-way mileage of 20 cents.

Recorder—\$3,900, out of which shall be paid a chief deputy \$1,200 and two copyists \$600 each.

Auditor—\$1,000.  
Treasurer—\$2,000.  
Tax Collector—\$1,200.

Assessor—\$4,200, out of which eight deputies at \$300 each are to be paid.

District Attorney—\$2,400.

Assistant District Attorney—\$1,500.

Coroner—Such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

Public Administrator—Such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

Superintendent of Schools—\$2,000 and actual traveling expenses when visiting schools of the county.

Surveyor—\$1,500 and expenses.

Justices of the Peace—Such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

Constables—Such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

Supervisors—\$6 a day and 30 cents a mile traveling from their homes to the Court House.

Court Reporter—\$100 a month and for transcribing notes, 10 cents for original folio and 5 cents for copy.

All salaried officers shall charge, collect and pay into the County Treasury all lawful fees except where the law allows such fees as compensation for services.

## Important to Teachers.

Superintendent Davis says that Sonoma county teachers having pupils to graduate from grammar grades in May should notify the Superintendent's office as soon as possible.

## We can afford to say:

"Get every sort of Schilling's Best tea of your grocer, and get your money back on what you don't like."

Your tea-trade for the rest of your life is worth the risk—and there is no risk.

A Schilling & Company  
San Francisco

## SCHILLVILLE SIFTINGS

Miss McGrau of Santa Rosa visited friends here last week.

Jas. Ahern and Wm. Kennedy of Embarcadero were visitors to Sonoma Thursday.

Capt. W. B. Pless is visiting his old friend Wm. Hamilton on the Jones ranch.

Mrs. Hooper and Miss G. Burgess visited friends in Embarcadero last Wednesday.

Mrs. Akers is spending the week with her daughter Mrs. Cook of San Francisco.

Miss Theodore Bates of Sonoma spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Joe McMullen.

Fred. Spaulding is preparing to put in another large crop of potatoes on his place.

Mrs. Merriam will spend next week in San Francisco, where she will be the guest of friends.

Ignacio Kiser of the Popula Rancho passed through town on his way to Sonoma last Thursday.

John Mallon and Prof. McNeil are building a very pretty arbor on the grounds adjoining Vollmar's Hotel.

The Schellville Club boys were here last Saturday and Sunday. The water was too high for good fishing and few trout were landed by the visiting sportsmen.

Wm. Kennedy visited his ranch last Sunday. He intends to renovate and make extensive repairs to the old ranch house and have his family live here this summer.

H. Stademan, Rob. Donahue and Master Burns, while out sailing last Saturday, were struck with a heavy puff of wind, which capsized their boat. Fortunately the water where the boat upset was shallow or it might have been a serious accident.

The mixed passenger and freight train of the Southern Pacific Company met with an accident near this place on Thursday of last week that delayed the train over an hour. The accident was caused by the truck of one of the freight cars leaving the track. Fortunately no one was hurt and little or no damage was done to the obstreperous car.

## TRILBY.

Schellville, April 9, 1897.

## GLEN ELLEN ITEMS.

Henry Martens visited Sonoma one day this week.

Wm. Sobbe will open the Glen Ellen Hotel in a few days.

A. R. Harrison and George Green visited Boyes' baths last Sunday.

Chas. Clawson has opened a new meat market opposite the Postoffice. The hop at Mervyn Hall, on Saturday night last, was a social success.

J. Chauvet of this place is negotiating for the De Turk winery at Santa Rosa.

The Trustees contemplate painting and otherwise improving the public school house at this place.

John Hendley will soon move into his new hotel on the corner of Tokay and Calabazas avenues.

Roadmaster Martens is making some permanent improvements on the county road leading to Santa Rosa.

Ex-Assemblyman W. S. Staley of Kenwood, accompanied by his two daughters, attended the hop in this place last Saturday evening.

John Beatty has accepted a position with J. Sibbald, an extensive stock-raiser of Lovelock, Nevada. He will leave for his new home next Saturday.

An interesting legal case, Browne vs. Billings, was tried in Judge Gibson's Court last Thursday. Five disciples of Blackstone were in attendance and argued the case pro and con.

Joe B. Small of Sonoma passed through here last Wednesday on a fishing trip. He had a dozen or more of fish in his basket which he claimed were trout but which greatly resembled suckers.

An alarm of fire in the rear of N. R. Hansen's saloon caused considerable excitement last Wednesday. The fire, which originated in a pile of rubbish, was extinguished with little difficulty.

Mrs. J. A. Poppe of Sonoma is planting twenty-five acres of resistant vines on her place near the farms of Zane and Hilton. J. E. Poppe acts in the capacity of boss and Jim Small superintends the culinary department of the ranch house. The balance of the crew do the planting.

George Green, the championship welter weight pugilist of the world, is enjoying his sojourn here. On Saturday evening last, the occasion being the usual monthly hop in Mervyn Hall, he entertained those present by punching the bag, and astonished everybody with his cleverness.

Glen Ellen, April 6, 1897.

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## PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

And Other Matters of Interest to the General Reader.

(Contributed by Marjorie Dow.)

Items of a personal and social nature are thankfully received at this office and will be edited by Marjorie Dow.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Muser will soon leave for a tour of the Old World. They expect to remain abroad until next September. They will visit, among other places, Mr. Muser's birthplace, Westphalia, Dortmund, Germany, where they will celebrate their silver wedding. The many Sonoma Valley friends of Mr. and Mrs. Muser wish them bon voyage.

Mr. and Mrs. Legro of Santa Rosa were in town Sunday spending the day with relatives.

Frank H. Luttrell of San Francisco spent last Saturday and Sunday on the Poppe ranch near Glen Ellen. He returned home Sunday afternoon with ninety fish in his basket.

J. Gilbert of San Francisco was in town Sunday.

Howard Nauman and Chas. Smith of San Francisco on Sunday last caught one hundred trout in one of the small streams near town.

W. B. Pless of the Pless Dredging Company was in town last Wednesday.

H. Hartin and Conrad Futterer spent Wednesday in the metropolis attending to business.

Mrs. Chas. Cheney and Miss Hattie Gains drove to Santa Rosa Thursday on business.

Wm. Minkle, Roadmaster for El Verano and Agua Caliente, visited Napa last Thursday.

There is a scarcity of work horses in this valley.

C. F. Leiding of Oakland was in town several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Johnson of San Francisco have been sojourning at the Johnson home near Verano the past ten days.

Miss Florence Heggie, who has been the guest of her brother, Norman J. Heggie, for the past two years, left for her home in England last Thursday.

Chas. Champlin has almost entirely recovered from his recent illness.

Miss Grace Trudgen has suffered a relapse and now lies very ill at the home of her parents.

It is rumored that Fred. Russell, formerly of this place, had a large fortune left him by a recent deceased relative in England.

A musical and literary entertainment will be given at the High School next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Benj. Weed, the talented and versatile principal of the school, will take an active part, and his readings will no doubt prove a literary treat to our people. Musical selections will be rendered by the best local talent in the valley. Friends and patrons of the school are cordially invited to be present.

One of the most wonderful things about eagles is their power of vision. Their eyes are much better and stronger than ours, and they bear not only to look upon the sun, but they can see much more distinctly than we can. Even baby eagles can see their parents at immense distances coming to feed them, as they plainly show by their cries, before a human eye can possibly make them out in the clearest light.

Miss Dollie Pattison of Alameda is visiting Mrs. Wm. Minkel of El Verano.

G. H. Hotz, our popular store keeper, made a business trip to San Francisco last Wednesday.

Returns show that sixteen persons in a thousand who are confined in lunatic asylums have been made insane by love affairs.

The deepest hole in the world has been bored in Silesia. It has reached a depth of 6520 feet, and passes through eighty-three beds of coal.

Mrs. J. B. Small and family spent Sunday with Glen Ellen relatives.

Miss Eda Gillan visited Santa Rosa friends this week.

The French have a way of making even an inferior quality of table linen look well without the aid of starch. When the napkins are washed and dried and ready to be ironed, they are dipped into boiling water and partially wrung out between cloths. They are then rapidly ironed with as hot a flat-iron as possible without burning them. Treated in this manner they become beautifully glossy and stiff.

A most novel entertainment is to be given soon in Petaluma. The lady members of the Improvement Club will give a minstrel performance in the above city after Easter.

Miss Jennie Anderson of San Francisco was the guest of Miss Eda Gillan one day this week.



A. Enke, A. W. Agnew, M. Elliott, Robt. Bain and C. M. Cheney were Sonoma's representatives at the Mervyn Hotel party given in Glen Ellen last Saturday evening.

Misses Mamie and Maggie Church, accompanied by Henry Hansen of San Francisco, attended the party given at Glen Ellen Saturday evening.

Will Appleton, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Appleton, has gone to Port Townsend, where he will remain on a protracted business visit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Angel visited Sonoma friends last Sunday. Mr. Angel is now engaged in business in the metropolis.

Mrs. Ada Pauli, accompanied by her son Roy, started last Tuesday for Los Angeles, where they will visit relatives for a number of weeks. Mrs. Pauli is Sonoma's accommodating Western Union telegraph operator, which position she has held for the past ten years. While she is away the office will be in charge of Miss Wells of Petaluma.

A beautiful lawn tennis court has lately been made at the Agua Caliente Springs Hotel. At this finely appointed resort a number of prominent San Francisco people intend spending the coming summer.

The Tiger Oil Medicine Company has been holding forth here the past week.

Yesterday was the warmest day of the season, the thermometer registering 90 degrees in the shade.

## County Funds.

Monday the Board of Examiners counted the money in the county treasury. County Treasurer Woodward's report and the count made the following showing:

Balance March 1st.....	\$192,935.46
Receipts for month.....	5,123.52
Disbursements for month.....	198,058.98
Balance April 1st.....	25,399.79
Examiner's count.....	172,659.63
Surplus in treasury.....	.44

## Cheated the Gallows.

Chas. F. Kleupfer, who shot and killed Chas. Dodge and Alexander Borland, at New Hope, last February, hanged himself in the County Jail at Stockton last Tuesday morning. One of the victims, Chas. Dodge, was a brother of Mrs. G. W. Clark of this place and a highly respected citizen of San Joaquin county.

## Local Brevities.

Try the new Milliner, Miss F. English, 852 Main st., Petaluma. \* Groceries at San Francisco prices at Schocken's. Men's shoes, razor toe, from \$1.75 to \$3.00.

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HOW A JERSEYMAN EXPLAINED HIS IDEAS OF THIS GLOBE.

He Made a Globe by Melting a Silver Dime and Then as It Cooled Showed How the Earth, Which Was Once a Molten Mass, Got Its Mountains and Seas.

"If any one doubts that the earth was once a molten mass and that its mountain chains, its great tablelands and the recesses for the seas were the results of the cooling and settling of the surface and then its shriveling to fit the ever shrinking center, let him see a world made," said the observant Jerseyman.

"That sounds simple," said one of his hearers, "but I haven't noticed that there were any worlds being made just now upon which progress was any faster than right here, and I can't say that I have observed much change in this old globe since I began to watch it."

"I have made many globes," declared the Jerseyman, "not merely insensate things to represent what we know of the natural and political divisions of the earth, but miniature worlds of the days of chaos, with every particle in them aglow with heat and all in motion. And then I have watched them become cold, immobile and dead, with blackened, roughened surfaces, and it required no great stretch of imagination to feel that within the few moments which the whole operation required one had bridged over millions of years in the history of a planet and seen it pass through every stage of its existence, from that of a light giving body to that of our own dead and desolate moon. Come with me," he continued, "and I will show you the history of our world since it first took form."

With that he led his little audience to a workbench and drew forth a chunk of charcoal covered on all but one side with plaster of paris, a blowpipe and a jeweler's soldering lamp.

"I will make the globe of a dime," he said. And he placed a silver 10 cent piece on the charcoal. Then he lit the lamp, and with the blowpipe directed the flame upon the dime. Soon the charcoal began to glow and burn away about the dime in a broad hollow, and then the dime turned first black and then red, and as it approached a white heat it drew itself together until presently it was a globe of molten silver.

If you have never seen such a ball of glowing, melted silver, you have missed one of the prettiest of sights. On the outside there forms a very thin skin of black oxide, which serves, like a woman's veil, to heighten the charms beneath it. With the blowpipe still adding heat to the globe, the silver became as liquid as water, and the gases emitted by the heated charcoal made it roll about in the hollow as mobile as quicksilver, while within the globe the metal could be seen agitated by intense currents. These currents changed their direction as the point of flame from the blowpipe was moved from point to point, and every moment the surface agitation was so great that the rest of the oxide would break and disclose the dazzling metal beneath.

All know the beauty of quicksilver, and many have seen the glow of melted lead or tin or the red glare of iron as it was poured in the foundry or furnace, but none of these compares with the beauty of molten silver. Melted gold has a beauty of its own, but not like that of silver. The light which comes from the melted silver seems as brilliant as that from an arc electric light, but not dazzling; it is white, with a tinge of heavenly violet, and the swirling metal seems translucent like a pearl of the finest water.

"Now we will let it cool," said the Jerseyman, removing the blowpipe from his lips and letting his inflated cheeks resume their natural condition. The charcoal was placed on the bench. Soon the agitation of the surface of the tiny globe of silver ceased, and the quiescence of the dull outer coating showed that a skin of metal had cooled and set in place.

"Now watch the mountains and valleys form and see the mighty earthquakes shake the crust," exclaimed the Jerseyman, and as he spoke the crust, which had been smooth and even, began to wrinkle. Sometimes the wrinkles would form long continuous lines across half the globe. Then in spots the whole surface would pucker up, and again all of these would straighten out only to form new series of puckers and wrinkles in other places. It was all over in half a minute, and the globe was set enough to drop into a glass of water to cool.

"Now look at it," said the Jerseyman, handing the globe to his visitors and with it a strong magnifying glass. "There is a skimmer of water on it, caught in the interstices of the roughened surface. That is three or four times as much water in proportion as our earth has on it, so you have before you all the features of sea and land, mountain and valley."

It was indeed so, and although the glass revealed only the more prominent of the features, there was no difficulty in seeing all the others with the mind's eye.—New York Sun.

Lavish With Telegrams.  
"Sending a telegram," says a Philadelphia telegraph man, "is serious business for the ordinary man or woman. They think it's expensive and only use the wires when they have to. There's one exception, however, and a kind of complimentary business that most people would never suspect. Whenever there's a flower wedding—that is, one of any importance—we handle scores of congratulations, hundreds sometimes, from all parts of the country. They are sent with directions to deliver at a certain hour, and we generally send them all to the house or the place where the reception is held in one bunch. It's a good thing for the company, for the senders don't count the words and file their telegrams without any revision. Sometimes they run up to 100 or 150 words."

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## GIRL LIFE IN MEXICO.

She Has Considerable Freedom, but It Is of the Right Kind.

Mexican home life is unique. It differs very essentially from the domestic life of the Anglo-Saxon race, for it is founded on respect for parents. The influence of the Catholic church is powerful in maintaining a high grade of family behavior. There is a sweetness and a charm about a well ordered Mexican home which is a revelation to northern people who have imbibed a false idea of matters here. The women of the best Mexican families are naturally of a gentle disposition, but they command obedience, and rarely spoil their sons, whom they idolize. There are exceptions, but they are not enough to break down the general social discipline.

As for the girls, no reputable Mexican father or mother would allow for a moment the thought of permitting a girl of any age to be on the streets after dark unless accompanied by an older person, a trusted servant or older brother. So, even among girls of the humblest class, there is no street strolling in the evening. They may, in warm weather, go to the alameda, or public park, when there is a band concert, but always under escort. They may go to a tertulia, or evening party, but with some competent person. They may dance, mildly flirt, on such occasions, but they are always under the watchful eye of a relative. There is plenty of proper freedom for young girls, and a larger liberty in the cities than formerly, but they are not allowed to run about without escort, and a very careful eye is kept upon them by parents and relatives, even to distant male cousins. Such a thing as a young girl or young woman of any character or family being upon the street at night, alone and unattended, is unknown. Your daughter goes to visit a friend in the afternoon and stays to tea. Then the gentleman and lady of the house, the gentleman alone or an old servant brings her home. So the streets of this big town are never the scene of foolish, flighty girls being followed and "picked up" by strangers.

And as for men who insult young girls and women, the remedy is usually a sudden and fatal one. In milder cases the newspapers give minute descriptions of the "silly" who has insulted a lady, and the public is asked to take warning. One fellow, who, in an interior city, made an insulting remark about a lady standing at a window, was conducted to the alameda, and, in view of the chief part of the town's best society, was held down on a stone bench and caned until he yelled for mercy, and was then ordered out of town on the next train. He went. In another city a male teacher, who was "too fresh" in his conduct toward young girl pupils, was waited on by a deputation of gentlemen and asked to favor the city by his permanent absence. He, too, went.

The etiquette regarding the protection of women from molestation and insult is such as prevails in the southern states of the American Union. There is no fooling on the streets, in the theaters and public places with respectable women. There is something left here of the old Spanish idea of the sacredness of womanhood, and the line is sharply drawn between honest women and the other kind.—Boston Herald.

**Transvaal Gold.**  
Of his recent extended study of the gold resources of South Africa Dr. Becker says that the Transvaal republic contains the largest gold deposits in the world. Within 15 miles of Johannesburg there is an amount of gold, practically in sight, estimated to be worth \$8,500,000,000, or nearly as much as the entire volume of gold coin now in the world. The gold is extraordinarily uniform, as uniform as coal in an ordinary deposit, as shown by shafts which have been sunk to a depth of 1,800 feet and diamond drillings which have gone still farther. At present the gold is being taken out at the rate of \$100,000,000 a year.

The most surprising news which Dr. Becker brings is the testimony of an American who was formerly his assistant in the geological survey, and who is now engaged in mining in the Transvaal, where he has made several millions of dollars. The American mining expert says to his knowledge and belief the gold deposits, instead of being 80 miles long—the region now in sight—is practically 1,200 miles long, except that in the rest of the region later deposits have come in over the gold. This, however, will not prevent economical mining, but will simply delay it.—Popular Science News.

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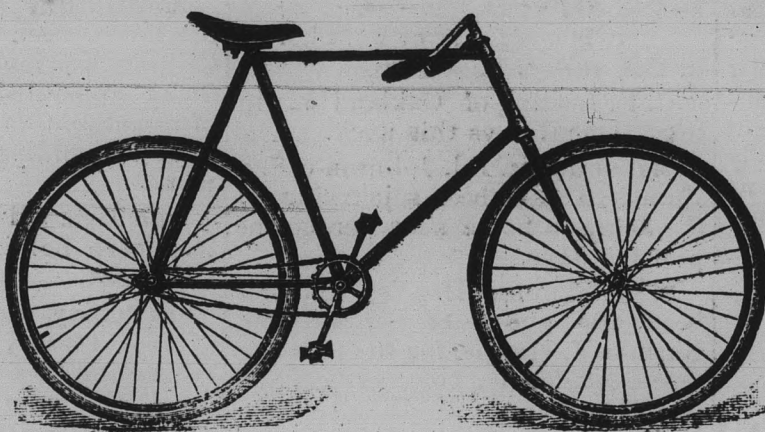
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A Strange Phenomenon Observed by a Lover of Nature.

Did you ever see a frozen breeze? You might have seen one if you had gone with me into the country one winter morning.

This was the way it came to be frozen: All night long the air had been laden with mist. Over the fields, in the hollows, all through the woods, even on top of the hills, the fog hung heavily. All that time the wind blew steadily, but not fiercely, from some northern quarter.

At nightfall the mercury fell below the freezing point, so that this mist, as it drifted through the trees, was frozen upon their branches and twigs. The elms, the oaks and the other leafless trees took their ice coating quite evenly, but the thick, impenetrable masses of the needles of the pine trees were covered noticeably only upon the sides toward the north or northwest, from which the wind came. The strong, steady breeze bent the branches to leeward, while it was icing them, and when the wind went down in the morning they all remained just there, leaning to the southward, ice and frozen to immovability, but looking just as if the wind were still steadily blowing.

Even in the afternoon, when the rain began to fall and the wind came from quite another quarter, that north wind of the night before still remained white and frozen over the pine woods, the pale, rigid corpse of a thing once keenly alive.—Listener in Country.

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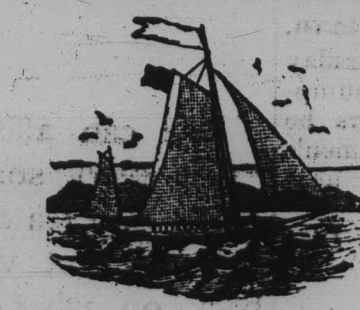
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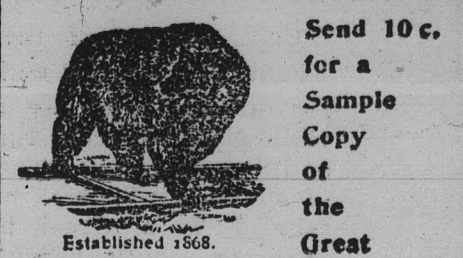
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